

THE COURTS

BUSINESS IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Washington, April 17.—The Supreme Court to-day

Washington, Aug. 17.—The Supreme Court today decided two patent cases, one of them involving a trial of the judgment of the Circuit Court for the district of Connecticut; in the latter the Whitman Company, of New York, sued Smith, Boston, for infringement of a patent for a new method of harnessing horses. The patent was issued to Royal E. Whitman, and the plaintiff covered the pommel and cantle of a riding saddle, and was said by the judge of the Circuit Court to be good, and to be infringed by defendant's saddle. The Supreme Court decided in the favor of Whitman and the plaintiff, and held that the defendant's saddle, known as the granger saddle, and which, Edwin & Co.'s saddle did not infringe any valuable right of the plaintiff. A part of Whitman's saddle, the court explained, was new and pat-

But, the defendant's motive did not control the judgment. The judgment of the Circuit Court was reversed.

The other case was one from the United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York, the *United Meter Company* against the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, Illinois.

The facts of the case were that a piston working in a water in water meters. The court below held that this was no infringing meter, and the Supreme Court of the United States affirmed that judgment. The two cases in question being essentially the same, the following business of the Supreme Court also did the following business:

No. 180—The *Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Company*, plaintiff in error, against *Alfred M. Hays*, defendant. Reversed. The case was remanded to the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York, to enter a judgment in favor of the defendant for the sum of \$100,000, with interest from the date of the judgment. Opinion by Mr. Justice Jackson.

No. 181—*United States ex rel. John J. Field* against *John J. Field*, not having heard the argument, took no part in the consideration or decision of the case.

No. 182—*United States ex rel. John J. Field*, appellants, against the *United States*, and *No. 11336—The Potomac Indians of Michigan* against *United States*.

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MR. BUCKI MUST PAY ALIMONY.
WIFE WILL RECEIVE \$200 A MONTH AND \$500 COUNSEL FEES.

Justice Barrett, in the Supreme Court, yesterday said Charles L. Bucki to pay his wife alimony at rate of \$200 a month and a counsel fee of \$500 in her suit against him for a limited divorce.

Mr. Bucki is a lumber dealer and a member of all clubs, among them being the Manhattan. They have been married several years and until a few months have been living at No. 154 Seventy-ninth street.

Mrs. Bucki declares that her husband treated her so cruelly that she was obliged to seek protection, and that she was literally turned out home by her husband. He has now rented house and is living at the Hotel Marlborough.

Mr. Bucki is said to be worth \$2,000,000 or more, is the vice-president of the Yellow Pine Lumber yard, of N. Y. 16 Beaver-st. He denies absolutely charges of cruelty, and declares that the domestic difficulties were caused by his wife. A motion for a decree of divorce was made last week, and it is by the decision of this court that Justice Barrett awards the amounts named.

MRS. BALDWIN A TREE-PASSER WHEN HURT?

Ms. Homer R. Baldwin was the New-York & Railroad Company for \$250,000 for the in- which she received in the disaster at Hastings

The defence of the company was that Mrs. Baldwin was riding on a pass, and that she was not asked to recover anything even though she were not. The counsel for the company appeared yesterday and requested the court to put up a formal defence that Mrs. Baldwin was riding on a pass which was made out in the name of another man, and that consequently she was a trespasser on the main of the company. The counsel for Mrs. Baldwin asked the company to be confined to one or the other of the defences, and to say whether the defence depended upon the defence that Mrs. Baldwin was riding on a pass, or whether it depended upon the fact that she was on the train. Judge Travis, in the name Court, before whom the case was argued, left his decision on the motion.

— COINCIDENCE IN E. S. STOKES. —

The case of Cassius H. Reed against Edward S. Stokes, to recover a piece of property at Far Rockaway, was argued yesterday in the Supreme Court at 121 Broadway, yesterday. In comparison with the explosive and epithetical crossfire of testimony the hearing yesterday was mild as a summer breeze.

The testimony was largely made up of the relation and explanation of the items on which Mr. Stokes founds his counter-claim of \$455,000, to offset Reed's claim of \$85,000.

Mr. C. H. Reed, who was the cashier of the Manhattan House under the name of C. H. Reed & Co. was the first witness. He identified the figures and accounts, and explained the system of book-

was saying that his duties had been so many that it was impossible for him to keep a complete set of notes.

Mr. Read was recalled to the stand. He asserted the affirmation proceedings, which were begun in 1892, were broken off because Mr. Stokes would not come up to their conditions, again as to some items in the Hoffman House firm he had complete confidence in Mr. Stokes. If Mr. Stokes felt him a complete confidence in him, he did so. When asked what his judgment on the point was, Mr. Read, who was in no good humor, said:

"I don't know that I have any judgment. Some say I have no mind left."

The witnesses at the stand again as to some items in the accounts. The next hearing in the case will be on April 11 p. m.

BITS OF LEGAL NEWS.

George Adams, in the Supreme Court, yesterday and Harvey L. Watkins, secretary for the Bailey & Co. proprietor, to pay \$100 alimony due to his wife, Mrs. Adams. Mr. Adams is suing him for a divorce. The case was set for trial in January, 1892, and Watkins was ordered to pay alimony at the rate of \$25 a week. He has paid it, but the amount negotiated is now due. Mr. Watkins declares that his husband intends going to New York with the circus, and she wants him to pay alimony before he does. The respondent named in the case is Rose Adams, a well-known barbershop ringer who is staying at the time the suit was brought, at the Bailey Circus at the Academy of Music. Watkins said Rose three or four days after the suit was brought.

that he already had a wife and had
 a large family.
 The contest over the will of Daniel B. Fayweather,
 has been dragging along for some time, came up
 before Justice Lawrence yesterday. He decided that
 absolutely no more time, and that they must
 settle for to-morrow. Accordingly he put the case
 over.

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BUSINESS IN THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Monday, April 17.—The cases were argued in the
 of Appeals to-day:

Charles W. Bowditch, as trustee, agt. Florence
 et al., by guardian, appellant.—Argued by John H.
 et al., appellant; James C. Smith and John
 et al., for the respondents.

19 13 F. Galusha, appellant, agt. Norman H.
 et al.—Argued by J. A. Stull for appellant; Eook
 et al., for the respondents.

19 14 F. Adler agt. the Metropolitan Elevated Rail-
 road company, appellant.—Argued by Brinhard Tolles
 et al., for the appellant; Justice A. B. Cowles for respondent.

The day calendar for to-morrow is Nos. 395, 398,
 401, 403, 214, 335, 368.

COURT CALENDARS FOR TO-DAY.

Supreme Court.—General Term.—Recess.
 Criminal Court.—Chambers.—Part I.—Veritas, J.—Motion
 set called at 11 o'clock.

Criminal Court.—Chambers.—Part I.—Veritas, J.—

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OLD ORDERS COUNTERMANDED.
The Minneapolis Evening Tribune.
any man attempts to haul down the American
tell him to be in a hurry about it.—James H.
IS JEALOUSY THE MOTIVE?

SALE; but Mr. Gresham wants the glory of originality. Like the boy who burned down a barn in order to get a site to build one.

CARLES PROFOUND DISAPPOINTMENT.
 The St. Paul Pioneer Press.

NOT A POPULAR SENTIMENT.
The Wilmington (Del.) News.
We lose the opportunity of securing control of the islands, only to see them pass the control or into the possession of other foreign power the Administration have to bear the odium. The sentiment of the remaining of the States and

The Worcester Sp7.
The people in Hawaii who desire to have the
have over the islands were in sympathy with
other nation and offered themselves elsewhere,
could see great anxiety on the part of the
istration in power here to interfere to prevent
swallows from doing what they had a right to
as it is doing now. By what right Commis-

from other nations. From present appearance it will not be twelve months before the English will be floating where ten days ago the band stripes were waving; hoisted not by consent by the loyal and patriotic hands of Americans who yearned to become in fact as well as in a part of the United States; but, who, like neuters, more than 100 years ago, are "spurned contempt from the foot of the throne."

...leading down of "Old Glory" was, of course, toward and visible sign of the termination of the edge of the authority of the United States for the nation of good order made two months ago by Mr. Stevens. We do not understand that anybody led to it. The Hawaiians prefer order to anarchy. We are glad the authority of the United States is asserted to preserve it. We don't know of any other, is named at Blount's action, unless it is

Administration and start anew, with the purpose of giving whatever credit there may be in the record for this Administration.

"MY COMMISSIONER."

The Chicago Inter Ocean.

Cleveland's "my commissioner" is the first man to chill the Hawaiian democracy and to re-

longer are in disregard of the sentiments of the people of the United States.

MR. BLOUNT'S AUTHORITY.
WARRANT OF LAW FOR HIS ACTS OR HIS MISSION.

and consent of the Senate, shall appoint Ambassadors, other public Ministers and Consuls and all officers of the United States whose appointments are herein otherwise provided for and which shall be established by law. But the Congressmen, by vesting the appointment of such inferior officers, think proper in the President, one of the law or in the heads of the department." It will be seen that the constitution distinctly pro-

pressed, will be certain to come up at the next election and plague the Democrats.

There are many who say in ordering the American flag at Honolulu Mr. Blount acted without any right whatever, and in giving him such alleged aid the President has laid himself open to impeachment, and that the American flag should be taken down under such circumstances is certainly untrue.